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Steve Paikin

TV Host, Author, Political Pundit

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Steve Paikin may be more recently recognized as the moderator for the English debate during our latest Federal election, but his usual gig is host of TVO's programs *Studio 2* and the weekly foreign affairs series, *Diplomatic Immunity with Steve Paikin*.

He has held a wide variety of anchoring and reporting roles throughout his career on private radio; in major newspapers; and national television, including news anchor and Queen's Park correspondent on CBC.

Besides his hosting duties for TVO, Steve has produced several documentaries, one of which, *Return to The Warsaw Ghetto*, won the Silver Screen Award at the US International Film and Video Festival, as well as, awards at Canada's Yorkton Film Festival and China's Shanghai Film Festival.

In 1996, Steve co-produced *A Main Street Man*, which chronicled the life of former Ontario premier William Davis. In 1997, Mike Harris government's controversial education reform Bill 160 was the subject of *Teachers, Tories, and Turmoil*. And *Chairman of the Board: The Life and Death of John Robarts* aired in 2001, on the occasion of the former Ontario premier's 40th anniversary of taking power.

Steve Paikin, the author, has written several books. In 2001, Penguin Canada published his first book, "The Life: The Seductive Call of Politics", which was followed up by "The Dark Side: The Personal Price of a Political Life". His Latest book, "Public Triumph, Private Tragedy: The Double Life of John P. Robarts", published in March 2005, analyses the impact of former Ontario Premier on the province.

Steve is a native of Hamilton. He received his BA from the University of Toronto and a Master's Degree in Broadcast Journalism at Boston University.

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